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#### The Hannas of Cleveland.

Since M. A. Hanna of Cleveland undertook, some time ago, the task of electing Major McKinley of Ohio to the presidency, attention has been directed to his ability as a business man and his genius as an organizer. On the lakes it is known, of course, that although not heard of in politics, Mr. Hanna's two brothers, H. M. Hanna and L. C. Hanna, have shared success with him in business, and have accumulated, along the same lines, fortunes about equal to that of the Republican leader. The fourth member of the accompanying group, D. R. Hanna, is a son of the political manager. He found a place awaiting him in the firm of M. A. Hanna & Co., a few years ago, and has since taken an active part in managing its affairs.

But no advantage, even of this kind, was offered the older mem-

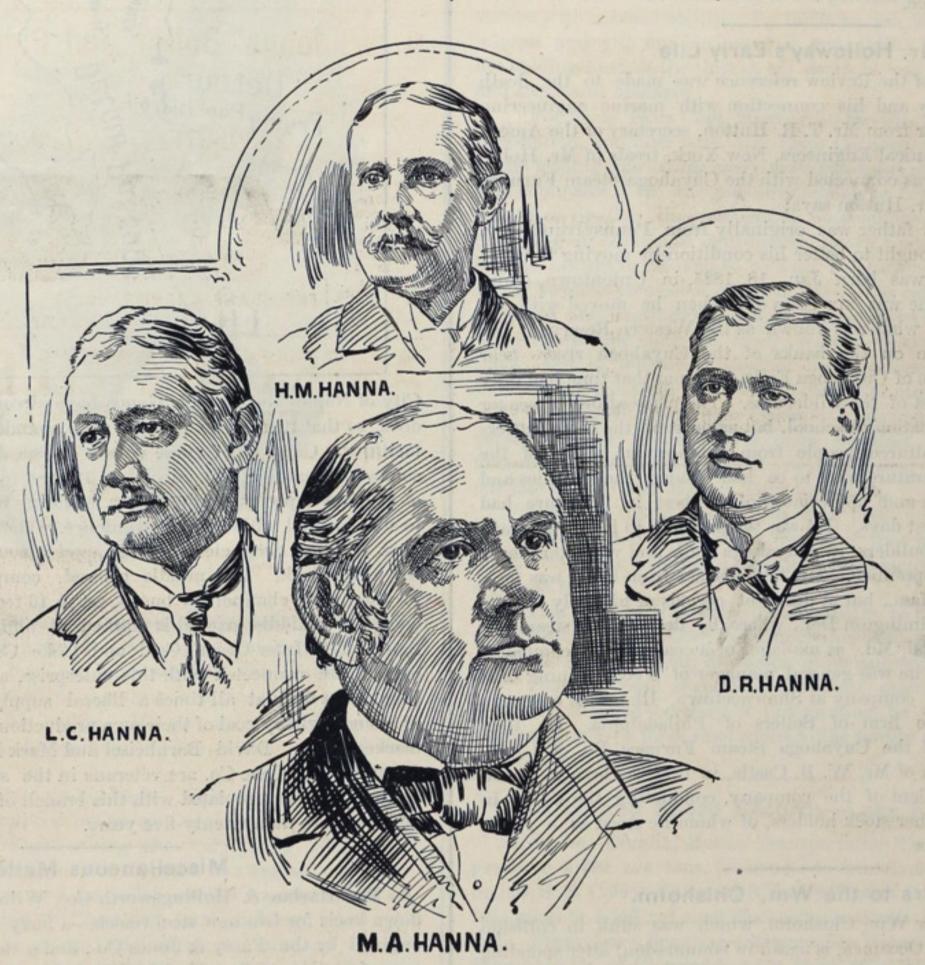
bers of the family. They attained wealth and prominence through their own efforts, and especially through a careful application to business. H. M. Hanna is not a member of the firm of M. A. Hanna & Co., but he is closely associated with his brothers in nearly all other enterprises, especially in the ownership of vessel property and in the interest which they hold in the Globe Iron Works Co. of Cleveland.

The Hannas have been associated with the development of lake commerce for nearly half a century. Last year the firm of M. A. Hanna & Co. handled, as agents, 2,100,000 gross tons of iron ore. In this great volume of business they represented about twenty iron mining companies, in some of which they are leading

stockholders. Much of this ore was moved in ships which they own and over railway terminals—iron ore and coal docks—which they control at ports on Lake Erie. Their iron furnace interests include two furnaces at Sharpsville, Pa., another at Newcastle, Pa., and a fourth at Buffalo. They operate for the Mutual and Menominee transportation companies, in which they hold a controlling interest, nine steel steamers engaged mainly in the ore trade of the lakes, and valued collectively at about \$1,575,000. They are controlling owners of the Globe Iron Works Co. of Cleveland, a ship building concern that has built, during the past eight or nine years, sixty-seven steel vessels, ranging in value from \$150,000 to \$250,000 each, and two of them, passenger ships, costing about \$950,000 each. In addition to this, M. A. Hanna personally owns the greater part of one of the two street railway systems in Cleveland, and all of the brothers are connected with other local enterprises of a less important kind,

Leonard Hanna, father of the brothers who have built up these several business interests, came to Cleveland in 1852 from New Lisbon, O., where the brothers were born. New Lisbon was a part of Ohio noted on account of a Quaker settlement. Leonard Hanna's family were members of the Society of Friends, but he lost his right in the faith upon marrying outside the church. His sons have never shown a disposition to follow in the footsteps of their New Lisbon ancestors.

Upon coming to Cleveland, Leonard Hanna, who had been a physician in New Lisbon, established a wholesale grocery business. He was senior member of the firm of Hanna, Garretson & Co. This firm afterward built up a big forwarding business in the trade to Lake Superior, which was all by boat from Cleveland up to about 1870.



freight destined to the Lake Superior country was all shipped through Cleve-· Little was land. heard of Buffalo in the Lake Superior trade. Leonard Hanna died in 1862, but by this time the sons. Mark especially, were getting along to an age at which they were able to take advantage of the start afforded them in the mercantile business that had been left them. Mark Hanna followed up the interest of the estate in the firm of Hanna, Garretson & Co. and Robert Hanna & Co., and still later in Rhodes & Co. H. M. Hanna entered the navy, and after the war formed a strong friendship with Col. Oliver Payne, son of the late Senator H. B. Payne. Col. Payne had been in the army. The two men were congenial in character. Col.

Previous to 1870

Payne became a power in the Standard Oil Co., and it was quite generally understood that his friend, H. M. Hanna, who had also been in the oil business on a moderate scale, profited by a sale to the Standard and also by stock which he acquired in the early days of that big concern.

During all this time the Hanna brothers kept increasing their interests in vessel property on the lakes. In 1873-74 they built a line of eight wooden vessels (known as the black line), on a three years' contract with the Cleveland Iron Mining Co., to carry ore from Marquette to Cleveland, Ashtabula and Erie at \$3 to \$3.50 a ton. The rate at which ore between these points is being carried to-day is 50 cents a ton. This is a very low rate but there would be a good profit in the business now at considerable less than a dollar a ton. These wooden vessels were followed later on by others of the modern steel type, and the various interests in mines, docks and furnaces referred

to above were acquired through the relations which the lake trade bears to these branches of the iron and steel business.

For several years past, L. C. Hanna, youngest of the brothers in the accompanying group, has had direct charge of the iron ore and vessel business. He has given more attention to details than either of the other brothers. His duties have been very extensive, but alike to other members of the family, he developed the faculty of building up a strong organization by keeping men of ability, at liberal salaries, in charge of the various departments over which he is the supervisor. No manager on the lakes is better posted than he is regarding the iron industry, and especially that part of it pertaining to the mining and transportation of ore. Mark Hanna is fifty-nine years of age, H. M. Hanna is fifty-six and L. C. Hanna is forty-five. Among old friends and business associates they are familiarly known as Mark, Mel and Doc.

Whatever may be said of the Republican manager by opponents in the political campaign, it is certainly the opinion of business men here, who know him well, that he has no special personal end in view, and that he is a patriot in national politics as he has been in local and state campaigns, always contributing to republican success but never seeking office.

#### Mr. Holloway's Early Life.

In the last issue of the Review reference was made to the death of Mr. J. F. Holloway and his connection with marine engineering on the lakes. A letter from Mr. T. R. Hutton, secretary of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, treats of Mr. Holloway's life before he was connected with the Cuyahoga steam Furnace Co. of Cleveland. Mr. Hutton says:

"Mr. Holloway's father was originally from Pennsylvania and marrying there he thought to better his condition by moving to Ohio. Mr. J. F. Holloway was born Jan. 18, 1825, in Uniontown, Ohio, where he lived until he was six years old, when he moved with his father as a pioneer to what was known as the Western Reserve. The settlement was made on the banks of the Cuyahoga river, near where is now the town of Cuyahoga Falls, which at that time had only six houses in the midst of the wilderness. The place afforded meager opportunities for education at school, but as most of the early settlers were refined and cultured people from Connecticut, many of the standard works of literature were to be had among the families and Mr. Holloway's tastes and appreciation of the best in literature had its source in his earliest days. He was apprenticed to learn his trade to a firm of engine builders in Cuyahoga Falls and was considered their most capable apprentice. His first absence from home was for a year in Cabotsville, Mass., but at different periods of his early life he was engaged at Wilmington Del., where he designed a steamboat engine; at Cumberland, Md., as manager of a coal mining company; and for several years he was general manager of a coal mining and iron manufacturing company at Shawneetown, Ill. This company was organized by the firm of Sellers of Philadelphia. He then entered the employ of the Cuyahoga Steam Furnace Co. of Cleveland and on the death of Mr. W. B. Castle, in 1872, he became president and superintendent of the company, conducting the works in the interest of the other stock holders, of whom he stood as a representative and protector."

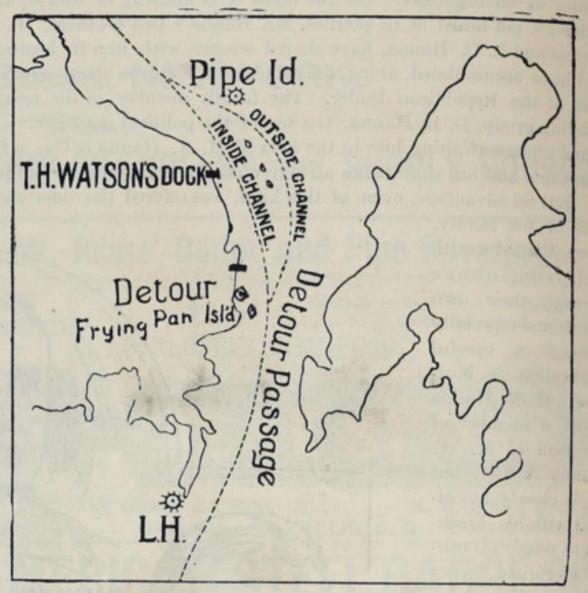
#### Repairs to the Wm. Chisholm.

The steel steamer Wm. Chisholm, which was sunk in collision near Detroit with the Oceanica, is again in commission, after spending thirteen days in the dock of the Cleveland Dry Dock Co. When repair bills, amounting in some cases to \$20,000 or more, are paid by the insurance companies on wrecks of this kind, that are hurried into commission within a couple of weeks, it is difficult to comprehend the amount of work involved. But the labor force, much of it of a high-priced kind, that is put onto a job like that of repairing the Chisholm, is always very large. The Globe Iron Works Co. has accomplished a big amount of work within a short period in this case, as shown by the following details: Frames and floors straightened in place, 25; new floor plates, 80; new frames and straps, 115; new stanchions, 10; repaired stanchions, 6; stringer plates straightened and put back, 3; stringer plates, new, 4; waterway and stringer angles, new, 4; fender angles, new, 4; beams, new, 4; side lights, new, 2; new shell plates, 25; rolled shell plates, put back, 52; rolled shell butt straps, 52; new butt straps, 20; total new pieces, 406. In addition to the above, 100

feet of new fender was put on the Chisholm and half of the after cabin made new. Details are not at hand regarding engine room repairs, but it is known that the engine and piping were badly damaged. A new wheel hub was also supplied.

#### New Sault River Coal Dock.

Another steamboat fuel dock on the Sault river seeks the patronage of vessel men, and offers, upon trial, to prove advantages of the dock, as well as the high quality of coal to be supplied. The dock is known as the Watson coal dock, and is located, as shown in the accompanying diagram, about a mile above Detour. Such steamers as the Harvey H. Brown, W. D. Rees, John Craig, Australasia,



City of Naples and City of Genoa have already taken on fuel at this dock, so that there is no question as to abundance of water and ample facilities. Captains of these vessels all speak of good dispatch and courteous treatment. The dock has 315 feet frontage, with five pockets of 450 tons capacity, in the center, enabling boats bound up or down to stop for fuel without inconvenience. The inside channel by this dock is 30 feet deep, clear through, and is 600 feet wide, with full 22 feet at the dock. The middle ground, composed of clay, is marked for the inside channel by buoys, set in 16 feet of water. The lower end of the middle ground is marked at night by a buoy carrying a light. The Inter-Ocean Coal and Coke Co. of Cleveland, whose officers are connected with this enterprise, announce that they will keep at the dock at all times a liberal supply of the choicest grade of Youghiogheny coal of their own production, to be sold at the lowest market prices. David Barnheisel and Mark H. Hanlon of the Inter-Ocean Coal & Coke Co. are veterans in the steamboat fuel business. They have been associated with this branch of the lake trade in Cleveand for more than twenty-five years.

#### Miscellaneous Matters.

The Harlan & Hollingsworth Co., Wilmington, Del., is putting down keels for two new steel vessels—a ferry boat, 150 feet long, to be engined by the Pusey & Jones Co., and a steam pilot boat, 155 feet long, for pilots of New York and New Jersey.

H. J. McCarthy has been appoined chief steward of the Goodrich line. He will have entire supervision of the steward's department, and will see that stores are properly taken care of and that the table service is all that it should be on every vessel in the line. Mr. McCarthy was the winner of the first prize for efficiency in the steward's department while on one of the Goodrich boats last season.

Geo. D. Fellows of Racine, Wis., says in a letter to the Review: "I desire to warn vessels seeking shelter in Bailey's harbor of the location of the sunken schooner Emeline, which was found in mid-lake about a month ago, and towed into the harbor. She lies in 20 feet of water a little to the westward of the range, about three-quarters of a mile S. S. E. from the north pier. Vessels entering should keep pretty well to the eastward of the range after getting inside the shoals. This wreck should be removed."

#### Capt. Wm. S. Mack.

It can truthfully be said that the death of Capt. Wm. S. Mack, which occurred at his home in Cleveland on the 14th inst., is seriously and sincerely deplored by the vessel owners and those who knew him in all parts of the lakes. He was full of resolute energy and possessed of a capacity for labor that was apparently almost boundless. It was these qualities that caused him to follow up, with untiring persistence and zeal, every measure that tended towards the advancement of lake commerce. A striking and agreeable trait of his character was that of unfaltering loyalty to those who won his friendship. Although some-



times merciless in his criticisms of opponents, especially government officials who might differ with him in matters requiring a practical knowledge of the vessel business, he rarely lost the friendship and never the respect of those whom he thus criticised. The quality of selfishness was foreign to his nature. He was generous almost to a fault. To the young man in business he was always a friend and helper.

Capt. Mack was fifty-two years of age. He was born near Kingston, Ont., but spent his boyhood in Oswego, or rather on vessels trading out of that port, as he began sailing when very young. At twentyone years of age he was master of the schooner Norwegian, owned by M. M. Wheeler of Oswego, and he sailed several vessels owned on Lake Ontario before coming to Cleveland, some eighteen years ago. The first vessel in which he seurced an interest in Cleveland was the James Couch, a schooner of about 1,200 tons capacity. His share in the Couch gave him a start as a vessel owner. A little later he obtained an interest in the steamer Raleigh, which he sailed for one season, and then as part owner of the Aurora, with John Corrigan of Cleveland, he superintended the building of that steamer. After selling his interest in the Aurora, in 1888, he had the steamer Schoolcraft for a short time, but was most successful when he obtained, later on, control of vessels like the Ballentine, Moonlight, Ironton, Kershaw and Pelican. These vessels were not of the best class, even while Capt. Mack owned them, but they made money enough to enable him to bring together, since he quit sailing about four years ago, a much better wooden fleet. At the time of his death he was managing owner of the steamers Geo. W. Roby, P. P. Pratt, and V. H. Ketchum, and schooners Becker, Annie M. Ash and Wadena.

The high esteem in which Capt. Mack was held by his associates is shown by the action of commercial bodies in Cleveland and

vessel owners in all parts of the lakes. Resolutions and memorials were adopted by vessel owners of Detroit, Chicago and Buffalo, and in Cleveland special meetings were held by the Lake Carrier's Association, Ship Masters' Association, Cleveland Chamber of Commerce and the Maritime Board, which is an auxiliary organization in the chamber. Capt. Mack was chairman of the Maritime Board and first vice-president of the grand lodge, Ship Masters' Association. It was agreed by all of these organizations that penants and flags on vessels be carried at half mast on the day of the funeral. Attendance at the funeral was very large. The pall bearers were W. H. Becker, F. R. Seager, E. R. Darrow, Capt. George P. McKay, Capt. W. A. Collier and Harvey D. Goulder. The tribute of the Lake Carriers' Association to the memory of Capt. Mack is as follows:

"Capt. William S. Mack was so well known in marine circles, so closey identified with the interests of lake commerce in every branch, so active, energetic and influential, and held in such high regard by all of us, that it seems almost commonplace to adopt any formal expression of tribute to his memory. He began life with nothing but his intelligence, untiring energy, zeal and strong character. He rapidly won his way as a sailor to the position of master, filling each station with marked ability. By thrift he was able to secure a small interest, and with fine business tact and ability he rapidly increased his holding until at the time of his death he was an extensive owner and successful manager.

"For many years Capt. Mack, with the Cleveland Vessel Owners' Association, and later with the Lake Carriers' Association, was one of the leading spirits in every movement for the encouragment of lake commerce. He was generally chosen on committees for securing aids to navigation, the removal of obstructions from channels, the procuring of additional light-houses, buoys and life saving stations; he was always in demand to go with delegations to Washington on public business connected with the lakes; was called to assist in framing rules and regulations, and it was characteristic of him that he was prepared and equal to every demand, ready and willing at all times, and at whatever personal inconvenience, to contribute his time and his means to the accomplishment of any of these purposes.

"There was never a finer example of the traditional great-hearted, generous sailor; never a truer, more steadfast friend; never a more tolerant and generous opponent; never a braver or truer man than our late friend Capt. Mack. Therefore be it

"Resolved that it is with a sense of deep personal loss that we mourn the death of Capt. Mack, realizing that while the lake commercial interests have lost a most influental factor, each of us has lost a valued friend.

"That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the widow and family of the decaesed, who have lost a noble husband and kind and indulgent father, their strong counselor, guide and support.

"That the vessel owners of Cleveland attend the funeral in a body, and that the secretary of this meeting be directed to send an engrossed copy of these resolutions to the family and to furnish copies to the press."

#### Cargo and Speed Records-Lake Freight Ships.

Iron ore—Coralia, Mutual Transportation Co. of Cleveland, 5,088 gross or 5,699 net tons, Gladstone to Ashtabula, draft of 16 feet 10 inches; S. S. Curry, Hawgood & Avery Transit Co. of Cleveland, 4,569 tons gross or 5,117 net tons, Escanaba to South Chicago, draft of 18 feet. From Lake Superior—Steamer Sir Henry Bessemer, Bessemer Steamship Co. of Cleveland, 4,214 gross or 4,720 net tons, Duluth to Conneaut, draft of 14 feet 8 inches.

Grain—Steamer Queen City, A. B. Wolvin of Duluth, 207,000, bushels of corn, Chicago to Buffalo, 16 feet 8 inches draft; steamer Maricopa, Minnesota Steamship Co., Cleveland, 191,700 bushels of corn, Chicago to Buffalo. From Lake Superior—Steamer Queen City, A. B. Wolvin of Duluth, 157,000 bushels of wheat, equal to 4,710 net tons, Duluth to Buffalo, draft of 14 feet 8 inches.

Coal—S. S. Curry, Hawgood & Avery Transit Co. of Cleveland, 4,535 net tons bituminous, Conneaut to Gladstone; Selwyn Eddy Eddy Bros. of Bay City, Mich., 4,252 net tons anthracite, Buffalo to Milwaukee.

Speed—Owego, Union Line of Buffalo, Buffalo to Chicago, 889 miles, 54 hours and 16 minutes, 16.4 miles an hour; Centurion, Hopkins Steamship Co. of St. Clair, Mich., Buffalo to Duluth, 997 miles, 65 hours and 10 minutes, 15.3 miles an hour.

#### Ship Yard Matters.

All but three of the Rockefeller steamers are now in the water. The boats still on the stocks are a steamer and barge at West Bay City and a steamer at the yard of the Cleveland Ship Building Co. Wheeler & Co. had planned to launch their steamer on Saturday next, but may be delayed until next week. They expect anyhow to finish her by Oct. 1, as boats at their yard are almost ready for sea when launched. Their intention regarding the barge is to have her follow about ten days after the steamer. The steamer at the Cleveland yard is nearly ready for launching.

A Detroit dispatch says: "Officers of the Detroit Dry Dock Co. are pleased with the announcement that the steamer Fairbairn, first of the Rockefeller steamers which they built, has just loaded 4,008 gross tons of ore, with 135 tons of fuel, on a mean draft of 14 feet 7 inches, or exactly what their contract called for. The Dry Dock Engine Works has just closed a contract with the copper rolling mills of this city for a set of fore-and-aft compound engines, marine type, with cylinders 16 and 32 by 36 inches."

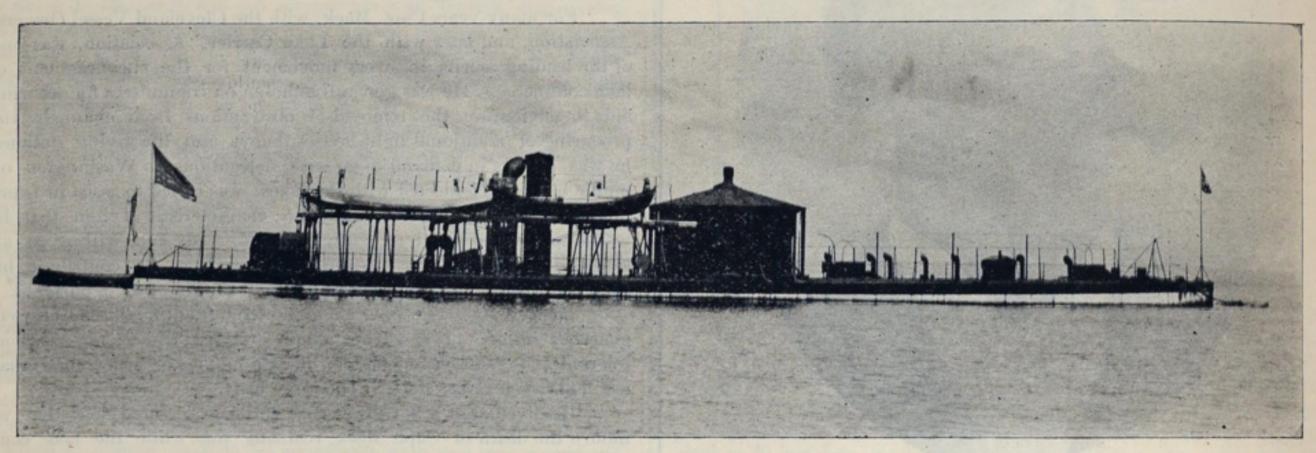
The latest report from the bureau of navigation, treasury department, giving tonnage and official numbers of new lake vessels has the following: Steam—Sir William Fairbairn, Detroit, 4,219.74 tons gross, 3,181.95 net, No. 116,736; Superior, Benton Harbor, 70.93

was 29½ miles, or 1½miles more than they give us credit for. On the 29½ mile basis our speed per hour was 18.6 miles. With a boat making her first run on July 4, then laying up for three weeks, and going into a race on Aug. 13, we think the performance very creditable. The Enquirer could have done a great deal better in a time race."

Capt. Todd of the Say When does not answer the inquiry so clearly. He agrees with the officers of the Enquirer that the course was full 29 miles, on account of the start being at a point north and east of Fairport piers. The mean draft of the Say When, he says, was 6 feet 4 inches. He gives dimensions of cylinders somewhat different to those published, taking the figures, he says, from measurements made recently by the engineer. The dimensions he gives are: High pressure, 11½ inches; intermediate, 16½ inches; first low pressure, 22½ inches; second low pressure, 22½ inches; third low pressure, 22½ inshes; stroke, 15 inches. The greatest pressure of steam carried at any one time, he says, was 230 pounds.

#### New Battleships and Torpedo Boats.

It is more than probable that the Cramps of Philadelphia, the Newport News Ship Building and Dry Dock Co., and the Union Iron Works Co. of San Francisco will each build one of the 11,000-ton battleships, for which appropriations were made by the last congress, and which are to be among the finest in the world. Bids



THE COMANCHE-ONE OF THE OLD TYPE OF ERICSSON MONITORS NOW IN ORDINARY AT SAN FRANCISCO.

tons gross, 48.23 net, No. 116,737. Sail—Alfred Krupp, Chicago, 3,259.43 tons gross, 3,124.70 net, No. 107,242; Geo. H. Corliss, Chicago, 3,259.43 tons gross, 3,124.70 net, No. 86,363.

Mr. John F. Pankhurst, general manager of the Globe Iron Works Co., says that no more vessels will be put down in the Globe yard on builders' account. He says that in view of their past experience with work of this kind, which was planned to keep ship yard forces together, it would be especially hazardous under present conditions to build any more vessels without contracts for them. All stocks are now empty in the Globe yard.

#### Still Discussing the Yacht Race.

In a communication discussing the Enquirer—Say When steam yacht race, in the Review of August 27, Wm. A. Fairburn, naval architect of Bath, Me., suggested a desire to obtain from owners of these yachts a correct statement as to their draft and also the horse power developed during the race. Capt. Samuel Golden and Engineer Wm. Skelton, Jr., answer this inquiry as follows, in a letter to the Review:

"The horse power developed by the Enquirer in her race with the Say When was 634 and the revolutions 356. Now as you have correct dimensions of the hull, engines and boiler, we do not think it necessary to say anything more along this line, but as we notice that Fred A. Ballin, superintendent of the Detroit Boat Works, and others have claimed that the distance covered in the race was only 28 miles, we can not allow such statements to pass without correction. A direct line overland from Fairport piers to the Cleveland club house is 28½ miles, and the course we took was from a whaleback barge lying about 1½ miles to the north and east of Fairport piers, so that in view of the course necessarily steered, the shortest we can make the run

which were opened on Monday last, were as follows: Newport News Ship Building & Dry Dock Co., one ship for \$2,595,000; John H. Dialogue & Son of Camden, N. J., one ship for \$2,661,000; Bath Iron Works of Maine, one ship for \$2,680,000; William Cramp & Sons of Philadelphia, one ship for \$2,650,000, and two for \$2,650,000 each; Union Iron Works of San Francisco, one ship for \$2,674,950. Thus the three lowest bidders are in order the Newport News company, Cramp & Sons and the Union Iron Works, the latter company being allowed a margin of 4 per cent above the lowest eastern bid to offset the difference in prices between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. The department, under act of congress, must awardthe contracts for building these ships by Oct. 8 next, and the vessels themselves must be completed within three years thereafter. The limit of cost fixed for each ship was \$3,750,000, including the hull armor. It is estimated that this armor can be supplied by the department for less than \$1,000,000.

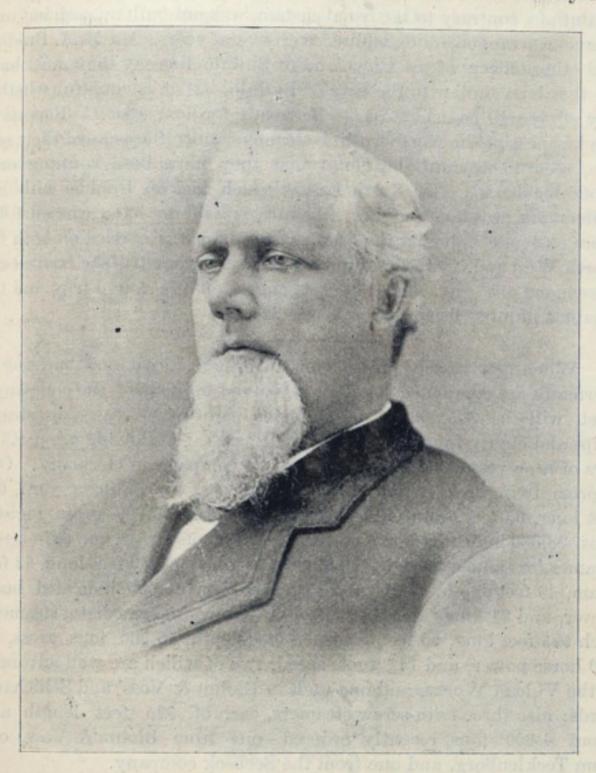
On Friday, the 18th inst., bids will be opened for thirteen torpedo boats, three of which are to have a speed of 30 knots. These three fast boats are to cost, together, not more than \$800,000, while there is an appropriation of \$500,000, or an average of \$50,000 each, for the ten slower vessels. Specifications for all of the torpedo boats, as well as the battleships, have been printed in previous issues of the Review.

For some time past we have found difficulty in obtaining good photographs of lake vessels when needed in the Review. We know that owners have also met with the same trouble. We have a photographer now engaged exclusively on this work. Order photographs from the Marine Review, 409 Perry-Payne building, Cleveland.

The new Goodrich steamer Iowa is to be fitted with the Globe steerer that was on exhibition at the World's Fair.

#### Pioneer of Lake Vessel Owners.

H. J. Webb of the firm of H. J. Webb & Co., vessel and insurance agents, who died at his home in Cleveland, Tuesday, was the first vessel broker on the lakes. He originated a business that is now followed on a broad scale by large concerns in all of the principal lake cities. The story of his early life in this connection is interesting. He was a young man engaged in a dry goods store in Cleveland in the early fifties. Pratt & Apley, a firm dealing in stone, had large contracts for structural material to be delivered at Buffalo. They em-



H. J. WEBB, FIRST VESSEL BROKER ON THE LAKES.

ployed Mr. Webb to engage vessels and look after their shipments of stone and other material. While thus employed he met other business men who had material to move by water, and many vessel captains, who in those days managed everything pertaining to their ships. He concluded that a vessel brokerage office, if rightly handled, could be made of such use to shippers and vessel owners that it would return a profit. He accordingly decided to open an office in Cleveland and did so in 1856. He was on the river, with others who came into the business later on, until 1873, when a general growth of trade caused all of the leading concerns to move to larger office buildings in the central part of the city. Since that time he has been known in all parts of the lakes as one of the shrewdest of the vessel brokers. Capt. W. C. Richardson, who has for two years or more managed entirely the business of the firm, and who is still in charge of it, joined him about fifteen years ago.

Mr. Webb made a couple of fortunes in the vessel business. He met with reverses but proved himself capable of overcoming business difficulties that might have weighed harder on other shoulders. Unfortunately he was taken sick—with Bright's disease, it was understood—just following a period of prosperity, when he might have enjoyed the results of a life of more than forty hard years spent in one line of industry. He was sixty-four years of age. Pottsdam, St. Lawrence Co., New York, was his birthplace. He was a diplomatist among vessel men, but possessed also a companionable, whole-souled disposition. Resolutions of respect to his memory were adopted by vessel owners of Detroit, Cleveland and other lake cities.

Capt. Allen M. Kirby, one of the lake captains of early days, died at Wyandotte on Saturday last. Of late years he has been connected with the ship yard of the Detroit Dry Dock Co. at Wyandotte. He was an uncle of Frank E. Kirby. His first sailing on the lakes was on vessels trading out of Oswego, as early as 1840. He was seventy-four years of age.

#### After Old Wrecks.

Some of the smaller wrecking concerns on the lakes have spent several thousand dollars during the past season trying to release stranded or sunken vessels that have been almost entirely given up by the underwriters. There is always a temptation among tug owners who have a few wrecking appliances to engage in work of this kind, although their efforts are seldom rewarded by even a moderate profit. Capt. James Reid is not alone in his failure with the Cayuga. Murphy of Detroit has spent the greater part of the summer endeavoring to raise the schooner Adams, sunk in Lake Erie, near the mouth of the Detroit river, and it was thought that he was already to lift the boat when the announcement was made that he had abandoned her on account of bad weather coming on.

Another wreck on which \$4,000 or \$5,000 has been spent, during the past season, is that of the schooner Mattie C. Bell, ashore on Summer island. The tug Albert Wright and schooner L. B. Shepard from Sturgeon Bay spent seventy-two days without success on this week. They were assisted at times in pulling on the boat by the steamer Joseph L. Hurd. The Bell lies in the bay on the east side of Summer island, heading about S. by E., starboard side to the beach, and rests upon a rocky bottom about 200 feet from shore in 9 and 11 feet of water, the former being on the starboard side and the latter on the port side. About 100 tons of coal was lightered from the stranded schooner to the Shepard and several unavailing efforts made to pump her out and pull her off. This failing, eight hydraulic jacks, two 100 tons each and six 60 tons each, were placed near her knuckle on the port side which heeled her over to the starboard. A diver then went down and pulled all the loose boulders out of her bottom, after which a canvass jacket was put on. The vessel's main and mizzen and staysails were used for this purpose, besides several thousand feet of lumber which was nailed on over the canvas. Four steam pumps succeeded in lowering the water in her hold down to 2 feet from 9 feet, and she was then given another pull. She was heeled over a second time with the jacks and raised about 5 feet, and eleven stone butments built under her, most of the stone being picked up from the bottom of the lake in proximity to the wreck. Some of the larger stones the diver had to roll along the bottom for a distance of 50 feet. The wreck worked off this underpinning partly by being pulled around by the tug, and partly by the action of the waves, as she lies exposed to easterly winds. During all this time the Bell was not moved ahead or astern, her bottom amidships being punctured by a cluster of boulders that held her in position, and she worked around as though on a pivot. It was almost an impossibility to get at the leak from the hold, as she has three floors; the first a false one, running athwartships and the other two fore-and-aft, it being about three feet from the first floor to her ceiling. The 100 tons of coal taken out of the wreck and put into the Shepard was afterwards used for fuel by the tugs. In leaving the boat the wreckers took with them everything they could release, including two anchors, one 2,200 pounds and the other 1,700 pounds, 120 fathoms of cable, yawl, light spars, steering gear, windlasses, etc.

Harvey D. Goulder of Cleveland, representing a large number of vessels that have thus far been fined for violating Sault river regulations, met officials of the treasury department in Washington on Saturday last, and it is understood that, as a result of the conference, only nominal sums, probably about \$10 each, will be demanded in settlements to be made immediately with owners, excepting where it appears that there has been wilful and persistent violation. Vessel masters fined in future need not, however, expect such lenient treatment as has been accorded in these cases, as it is now fully understood that the rules are to be enforced rigidly for the balance of the season.

Since May 1 there has been a decline in the weekly rate of pig iron production from 189,400 tons per week to 130,500 tons per week on Sept. 1. The high water mark was reached on Nov. 1, with a weekly product of 217,300 tons. Although there has been some addition to stocks in August, the production has now fallen off so heavily that it must be within even the present light demand.

At Buffalo a few days ago Hingston & Woods secured a Niagara river dredging contract involving about \$50,000 worth of work. Their bid was \$76 a day for drill boat, \$74 for dredge and \$18 for tug. Another contract let in Detroit was for \$4,500 worth of dredging, to be done at St. Clair, Mich. Carkin & Stickney of Detroit secured this work at 8\frac{3}{5} cents per cubic yard.



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The books of the United States treasury department on June 30, 1895, contained the names of the 3,342 vessels, of 1,241,459.14 gross tons register in the lake trade. The number of steam vessels of 1,000 gross tons, and over that amount, on the lakes on June 30, 1895, was 360 and their aggregate gross tonnage 643,260.40; the number of vessels of this class owned in all other parts of the country on the same date was 309 and their tonnage 652,598,72, so that half of the best steamships in all the United States are owned on the lakes. The classification of the entire lake fleet on June 30, 1895, was as follows:

| Steam vessels | Number.<br>1,755<br>1,100<br>487 | Gross<br>Tonnage.<br>857,735.13<br>300,642.10<br>83,081.91 |
|---------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Total         | 3,342                            | 1,241,459.14   |

The gross registered tonnage of the vessels built on the lakes during the past five years, according to the reports of the United States commissioner of navigation, is

| Year | ending | June 30, | 1891 | 204 | 111,856.45 |
|------|--------|----------|------|-----|------------|
| **   | **     | **       | 1803 | 175 | 99,271.24  |
| **   | **     | **       | 1894 | 106 | 41,984.61  |
| **   | 0.1    | "        | 1895 | 93  | 36,352.70  |
|      | Tot    | al       |      | 347 | 335,433,98 |

ST. MARY'S FALLS AND SUEZ CANAL TRAFFIC. (From Official Reports of Canal Officers.)

| THE CHIEF THE TOTAL STATE   | St. Mary's Falls Canal.                          |      |                           | Suez Canal.               |                           |      |
|---|--|------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------|
| line (acont laster but  | 1895*  | 1894 | 1893                      | 1895                      | 1894                      | 1893 |
| No. vessel passages,<br>Tonnage, net registered<br>Days of navigation | 17,956<br>16,806,781<br>231<br>13,110,366<br>234 |      | 3,434<br>8,448,383<br>365 | 3,352<br>8,039,175<br>365 | 3,341<br>7,659,068<br>365 |      |

\*1895 figures include traffic of Canadian canal at Sault Ste. Marie, which was about 1/2 per cent. of the whole, but largely in American vessels.

Dispatches from New York announce that Charlton T. Lewis has sailed for London to sell the franchise of the Erie Canal Traction Co. to an English syndicate for \$3,000,000. The scheme of this company and the Cataract General Electric Co., of which it is a part, to use electricity for moving boats on the Erie canal is worthless, especially when viewed in connection with the claim that canal boats can be loaded with grain or other freight at Chicago or Duluth and taken to New York without breaking bulk. It is not at all probable that capitalists in this country or in England will be taken in by any such claims as those made recently in the New York papers regarding this company. There has all along been a suspicion of stock jobbing methods in connection with this franchise. To begin with, everybody who is at all acquainted with electricity understands the big problem that would be involved in transmitting power along the Erie canal for a length of more than 300 miles, and it is well known also that even though the canal might be fully equipped with electricity, vessels would be at the mercy of steam power on the Hudson from Albany to New York. But the most absurd and visionary parts of the plans upon which it is proposed to sell, at a big price, this franchise, which was obtained for nothing, are the details regarding the lake end of the route. Think of towing, or moving in any way, steel canal boats, even of the kind that can navigate the enlarged Erie canal, from Buffalo to Duluth and Chicago! It is well known that the Cleveland Steel Canal Boat Co., with its short stretch of lake navigation between Cleveland and Buffalo, has never been able to make better than 5 miles an hour with a tow assisted by a tug. But placing aside all reference to the impracticability of operating canal boats on long lake routes, the question of freight charges is an absolute bar to such a scheme as that talked of in the New York dispatches. Grain is being carried to-day from Chicago to Buffalo in lake steamers at 3 cents a hundred. This is a lower rate than the Cleveland Steel Canal Boat Co. or the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Co. would accept on freight from Cleveland to Buffalo. The present canal rate, Buffalo to New York, is only 61 cents a hundred, including trimming at Buffalo, elevation at New York and insurance. This would be nothing more than a living rate for canal boats, even with the enlargement of the Erie that is under way. It would be inter esting, therefore, to learn how canal boats are to come onto the lakes and compete, under these circumstances, for through business to New York with 4,000-ton lake ships and the present system of transferring

freight at Buffalo. Englishmen will probably investigate this matter before they pay \$3,000,000 for the Erie Canal Traction Co.'s franchise.

Success attending the operation of some of the best passenger ships on the lakes during the past season may result in a contract or two being offered to the ship builders during the dull period that is now at hand. The new side-wheel steamer City of Buffalo will clear for her owners full \$40,000 during the present season. This is a very good return on an investment of about \$340,000, especially as the City of Buffalo, contrary to the usual custom, was not built on cash but on a financial arrangement extending over several years. Mr. M. A. Bradley and other officers of the Cleveland & Buffalo line say they must have another boat similar to the City of Buffalo, but it is doubtful whether any effort will be made to have her ready for next season. Reports of the business of the Northern line steamers, since they closed their season, seem to warrant the claim that they have been running on a profitable basis. The North Land, which had no trouble with her boilers and was kept on her schedule, is said to have carried 1,600 more passengers during the past season than was carried on both the North West and North Land during 1895. On one trip she booked 800 passengers one way, and 1,400 passengers on the round trip, and the smallest number listed one way was 324.

When new vessels for the North German Lloyd now building in Germany are completed the total registered tonnage of the company's fleet will be 305,000. This includes eighty-two sea-going steamships and eighty-four tenders and small craft. Following are particulars of nine vessels now building for this company in Germany: One express twin-screw Atlantic mail steamer at the Vulcan yard, 625 feet long, 65 feet beam, 40 feet moulded depth, 13,700 gross register tons, 28,000 indicated horse power, and 21 knots speed; one twin-screw steamer for same service in Schichau's of Danzig, 580 feet long, 62 feet beam, 40 feet depth, 12,200 gross register tons, 24,000 indicated horse power, and 21 knots speed; four twin-screw intermediate steamers, each 525 feet long, 60 feet beam, 38 feet depth, 10,500 tons gross, 7,-000 horse power, and 14½ knots speed, two of which are well advanced at the Vulcan Works, and one each in Blohm & Voss' and Schichau's yards; also three twin-screw steamers, each of 325 feet length and about 4,500 tons, recently ordered—one from Blohm & Voss, one from Tecklenborg, and one from the Seebeck company.

The attitude of the new Canadian government with regard to the four 20-knot mail steamships that were to be built for service between the Dominion and the mother country is somewhat puzzling. The Canadian parliament, under the old gvernment, voted a subsidy of \$750,000 a year for the new service and this was to be supplemented by \$375,000 annually from the imperial government. Before the old government relinquished control, proposals for the service had been called for, and the Messrs. Allan, owners of the Allan line of steamers were the lowest bidders. The matter had not been passed upon by parliament, however, and it is now rumored that the new government will overthrow all previous arrangements. There is nothing definite on this score, however, as the present session of parliament was called simply to pass upon the government estimates, and the policy of the new administration with reference to this steamboat service may not be known until the next session.

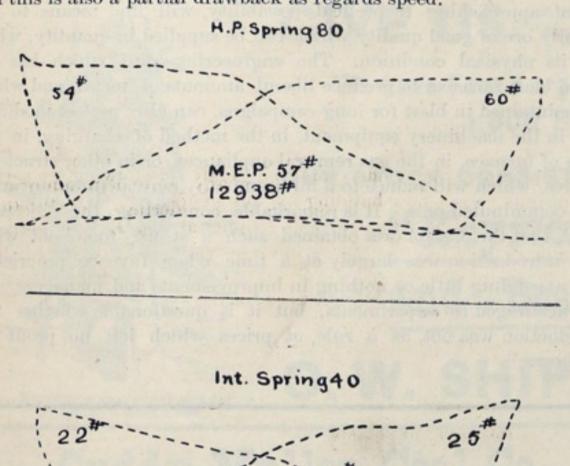
Statistics prepared by the United States Geological survey show that the iron ore product of Lake Superior mines in the year 1895—nine and a half million tons—was the double maximum annual output of the noted Bilbao district of Spain and one-half greater than the largest amount credited to the Cleveland district in England in any one year; and the average quality of the ores obtained from the Lake Superior mines is not equaled by any other large producing district.

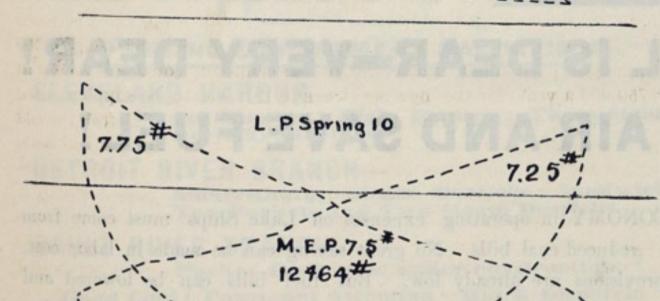
Ensign Cole, U. S. N., whose transfer from the branch hydrographic office, Cleveanld, was announced a week ago, has received a change of orders. He will not go to the Raleigh, but to the dispatch boat Dolphin, which has often been referred to as the private yacht of the secretary of the navy. Mr. Cole will be succeeded by Lieut. Stafford.

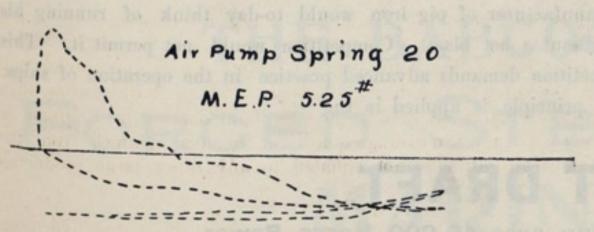
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#### Light Fuel Consumption on the Aragon.

Officials of the Dry Dock Engine Works, Detroit, as well as the Cleveland owners of the new freight steamer Aragon, are undoubtedly very much pleased with the results of an engineering test made on that steamer recently, while bound down the lakes with a cargo of grain. The fuel consumption during eight hours, at 11.3 miles speed, was only 1.63 pounds per hour. This is a better showing than has previously been made in the several scientific trials of lake steamers conducted by experts. The Detroit builders are especially pleased with it on account of the Aragon being fitted with Howden hot draft appliances. They claim also that the test is what might be termed a commercial test, as the ship was boarded at Detroit after having made a long run from the head of Lake Superior. Nothing was done in the way of cleaning up or preparing for the trial. It thus shows, they say, what the boat is doing in actual service, the intention being to secure data regarding the engines that might be depended upon in the building of other engines of about the same kind. The boat is a very full model, as she was built to carry the limit of cargo on dimensions of Welland canal locks. Her bottom and bilges are sheathed with oak and this is also a partial drawback as regards speed.





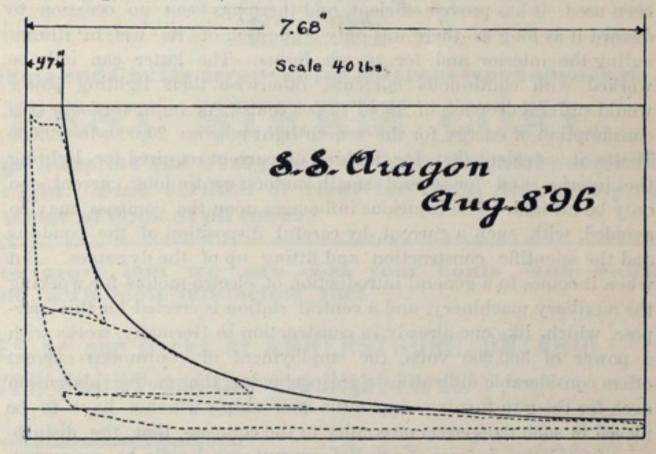


| Boiler pressure             | nds. |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Vacuum 22 inch              | es.  |
| Revolutions                 |      |
| I. H. P., high pressure     |      |
| I. H. P., intermediate230.9 |      |
| I. H. P., low pressure      |      |
| Total I. H. P               |      |
| M. E. P., referred to L. P  |      |

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Heater-14 inches diameter by 7 feet long over all.

Propeller - Cast iron, four blades, 10 feet 10 inches diameter, 12 feet 6 inches pitch; 40.36 square feet projected area.

| menes   | pitch; 40.50 square feet projected area. |         |
|---------|--|---------|
| Load,   | net tons                                 | .2,500  |
| Draug   | net tons                                 | . 14-7  |
|         | pressure, pounds                         |         |
| I. P. r | eceiver pressure, pounds                 | . 46    |
| L. P. 1 | receiver pressure, pounds                | . 44    |
|         | m, inches                                |         |
| Indica  | ted horse power, H. P                    | . 214   |
| Indica  | ted horse power, I. P                    | . 230.9 |
| Indica  | ted horse power, L. P                    | . 206.1 |
|         | ted horse power, total                   |         |
| Indica  | ted horse power, air pump                | 6.58    |
| Per cer | nt. air pump of total                    | 01      |
|         | tions, main engine                       |         |
| Revolu  | tions, fan engine                        | . 185   |
|         | essure inches                            |         |
|         | of horse power to grate surface          |         |
| Ratio   | of heating surface to horse power        | . 3     |
| Durati  | on of trial, hours, minutes              | . 7-40  |
|         | oal burned, pounds                       |         |
|         | urned per hour, pounds                   |         |
| Coal b  | urned per I. H. P. per hour, pounds      | . 1.63  |
|         | of boat, miles                           |         |
| Speed   | of propeller, miles                      | . 12.9  |
| Slip of | propeller, per cent                      | . 12.5  |
|         | rature of hot well, degrees              |         |
|         | rature of heater, degrees                |         |
|         |  |         |

#### Stocks of Grain at Lake Ports.

The following table, prepared from reports of the Chicago board of trade, shows the stocks of wheat and corn in store in regular elevators at the principal points of accumulation on the lakes, Sept. 12,1896:

|           | w neat, busnels. | Corn, busner |
|-----------|------------------|--------------|
| Chicago   | 13,188,000       | 4,366,000    |
| Duluth    |                  | 52,000       |
| Milwaukee | 396,000          | 3,000        |
| Detroit   | 466,000          | 14,000       |
| Toledo    | 717,000          | 52,000       |
| Buffalo   | 1,392,000        | 380,000      |
| To        | otal 22,023,000  | 4,867,000    |

As compared with a week ago, the above figures show at the several points named an increase of 350,000 bushels of wheat, and a decrease of 576,000 bushels of corn.

#### Electricity on Board Ships.

At the last meeting of the Society of Naval Architects a paper on the "Use of Electricity on Board Ships" was presented by Herr F. Eickenradt. In concluding a long discussion of the advantage of the electric motor and the various uses to which it may be applied on board ships, the author of this paper says:

"With the increasing employment of electricity on ships, the question arises whether continuous or alternating currents should be chosen. In installations hitherto made the continuous current has been used; it has proved efficient, and there has been no occasion to discard it as long as there was only a question of its use in illuminating the interior and for search lights. The latter can only be worked with continuous currents, otherwise their lighting power would suffer a decrease of about 40 per cent. As on men-of-war the consumption of energy for the search-light reaches 20,000 to 70,000 Watts, it is evident that, for the kind of current required for lighting the interior, and for several small motors, continuous current can only be utilized. The injurious influences upon the compass may be avoided, with such a current, by careful disposition of the conduits and the scientific construction and fitting up of the dynamos. But when it comes to a general introduction of electro-motors for working the auxiliary machinery, and a central station is erected for this purpose, which, like one already in construction in Germany, works with a power of 300,000 volts, the employment of continuous current offers considerable difficulties. In particular, the motors placed on deck for the gun-turning apparatus and ship's winches have to be placed in such dangerous proximity to the compass, that the disturbing of the latter, in case of parallel current, can hardly be prevented. For the working of this machinery the use of the alternating current becomes unavoidable, as such a current, and motors driven by it, has no influence upon the compass. This necessitates the erection of two central stations, viz., one for the search-lights and the lighting, with parallel current, and a second station, with alternating current, for driving auxiliary machinery. Unfortunately this entails the disadvantage that the motors for one station cannot be employed in

support of, and in substitution for, those of the other, and great complication would be created demanding greater capabilities from the crew. It will be impossible to avoid this if the increased advantage which the use of electrical appliances affords on board ship are to be secured."

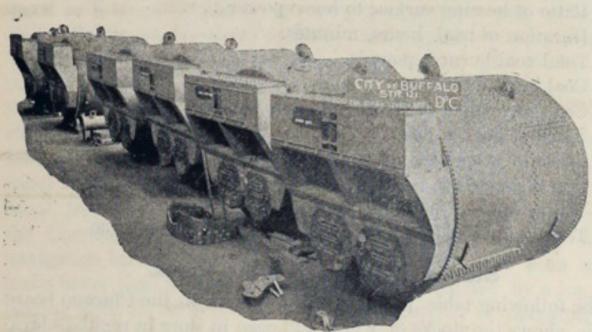
#### Physical Condition of Mesabi Ores.

In his latest report to the United States Geological Survey on "Iron Ores of the United States," John Birkinbine of Philadelphia says of ores from the Messabi range, Minnesota:

"The objection of the physical condition of some Mesabi ores may be considered merely as of temporary character, and the statement that blast furnace managers can not use finely comminuted ores is a reflection upon the ability of men who have accomplished greater results than that of adapting their plants and their practice to the use of a deposit of such magnitude and character as has been developed on the Mesabi range. Men who have mastered the problem of producing pig iron within the narrow limits of chemical constituents acceptable to consumers, and who have reduced fuel consumption to a point approaching theoretical possibility, will find means to use liberally ore of good quality which can be supplied in quantity, whatever its physical condition. The engineering skill which has designed blast furnaces to produce liberal amuonts of metal, and which are maintained in blast for long campaigns, can also perfect modifications in the machinery equipment, in the method of charging, in the shape of furnace, in the gas removal appliances, or in other structural features, which will reduce to a minimum any permanent annoyances from comminuted ores. It is remarkable, considering the objections raised, that the Mesabi ores obtained such a strong footohold when their introduction was largely at a time when furnace proprietors were expending little or nothing in improvements and managers were not encouraged in experiments, but it is questionable whether this introduction was not, as a rule, at prices which left no profit for producers."

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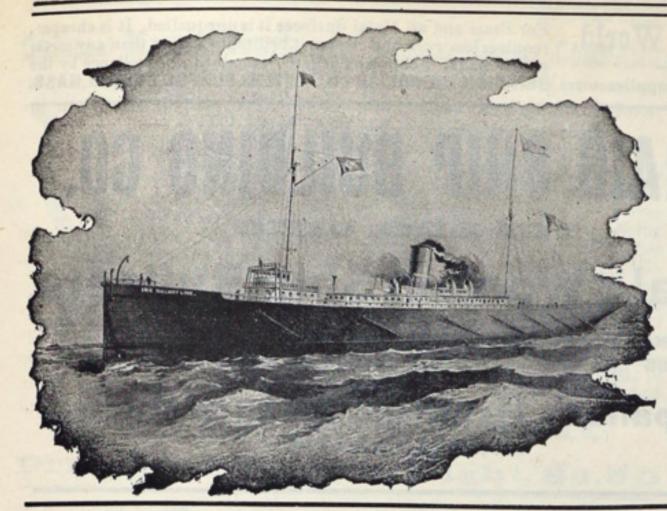
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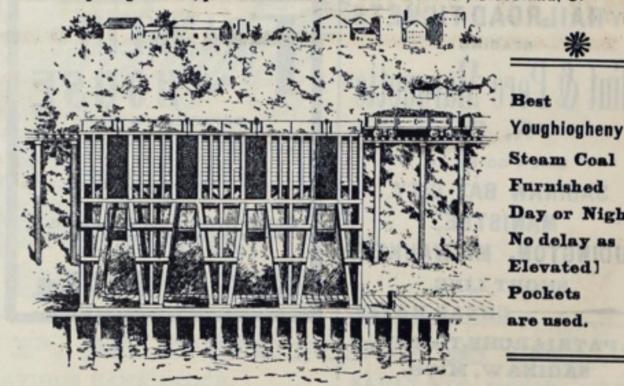
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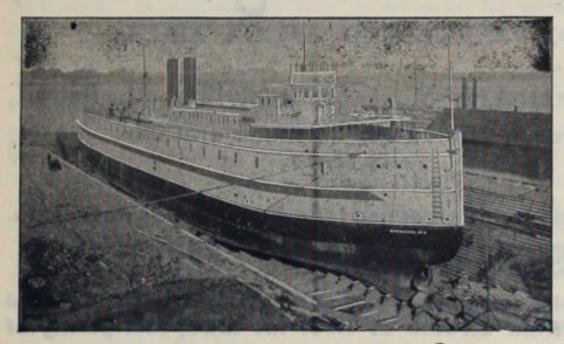
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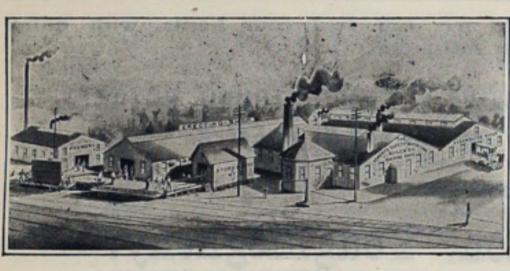
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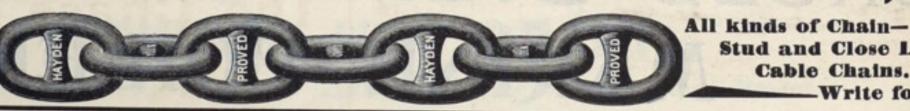
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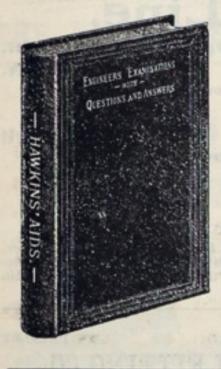
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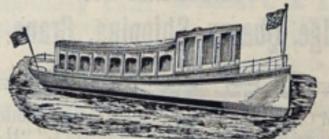
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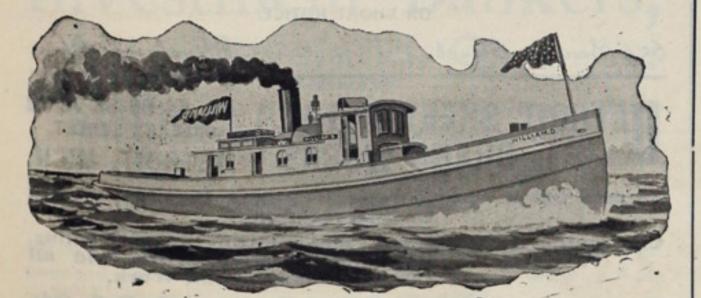
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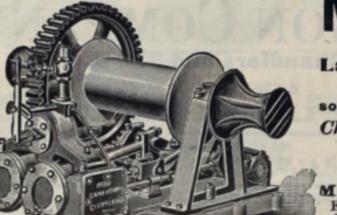
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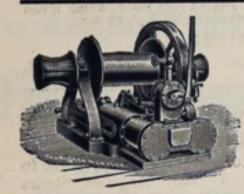
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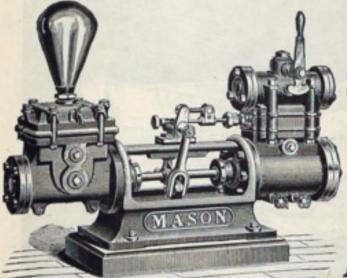
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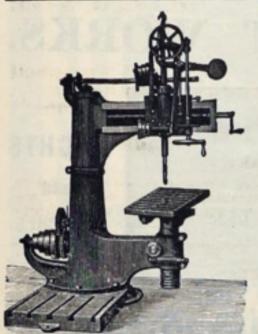


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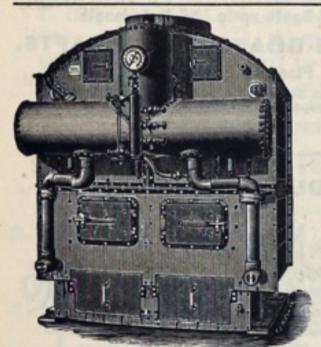


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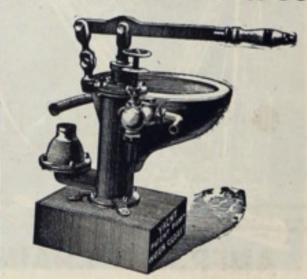


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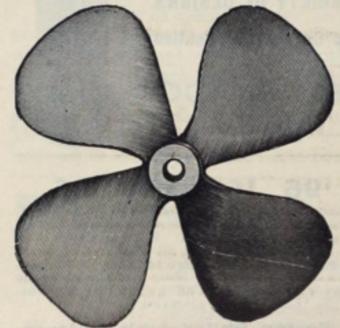
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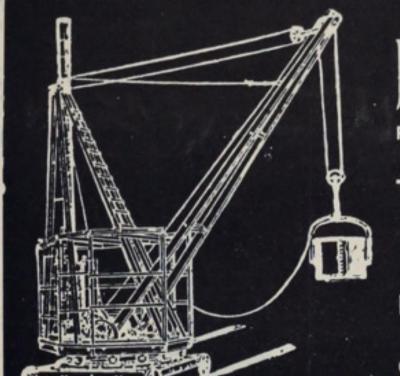
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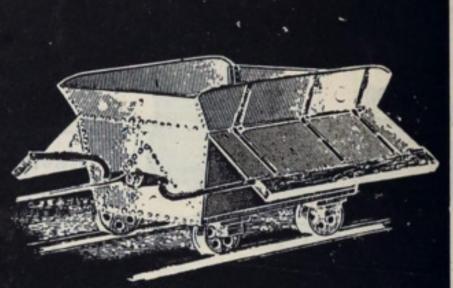
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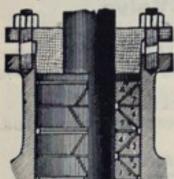
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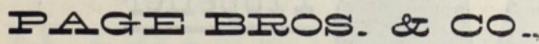
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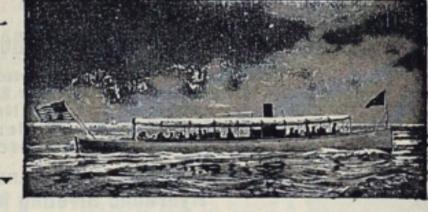
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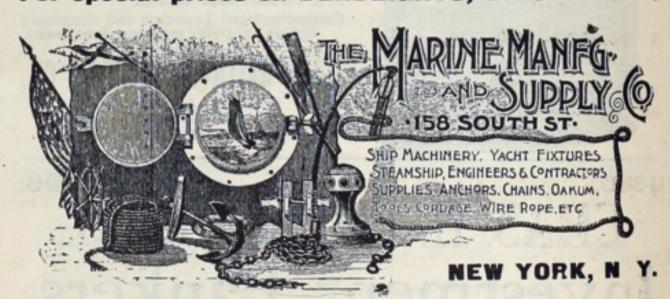
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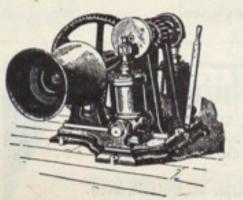


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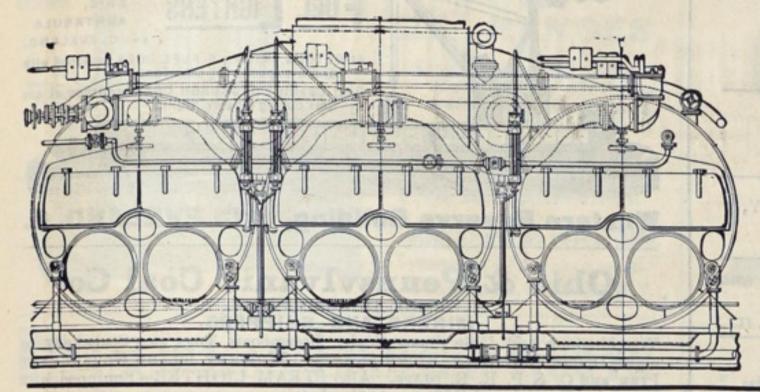
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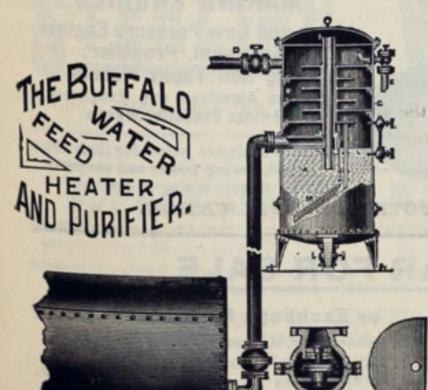
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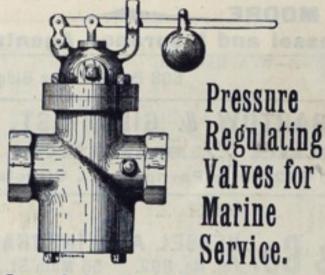
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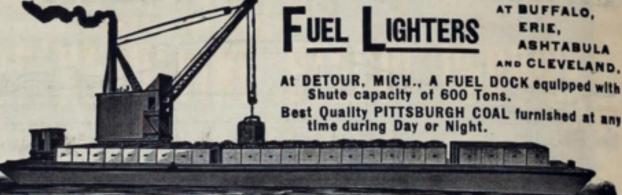
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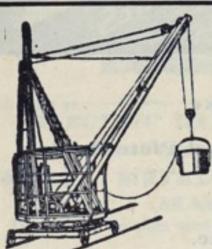
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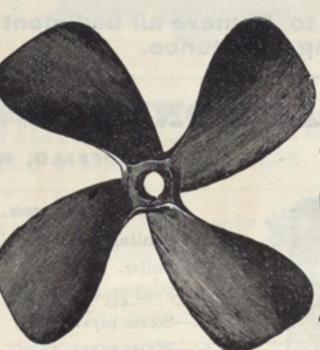
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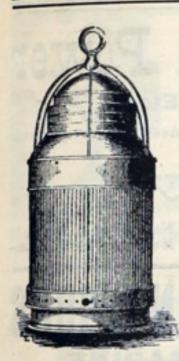
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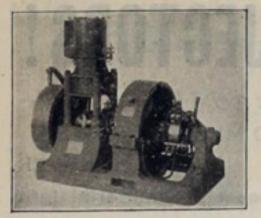
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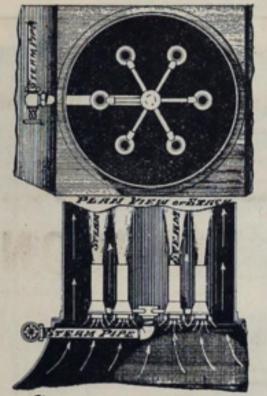
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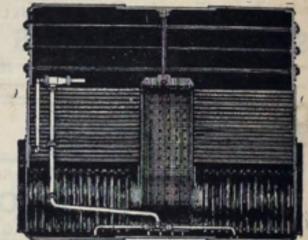


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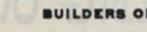
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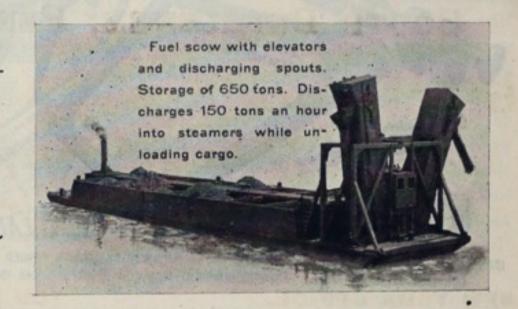
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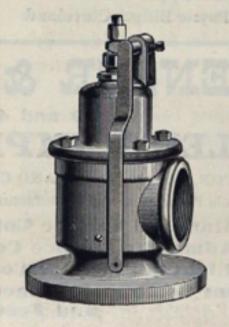
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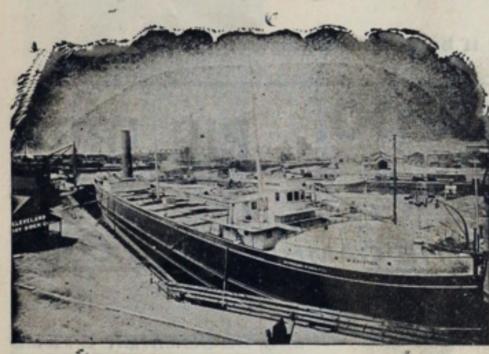
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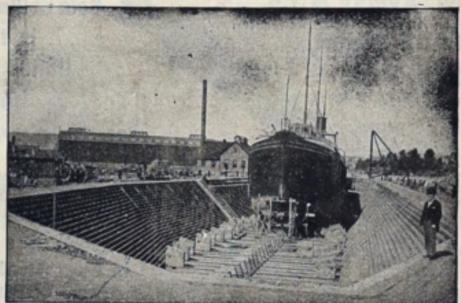
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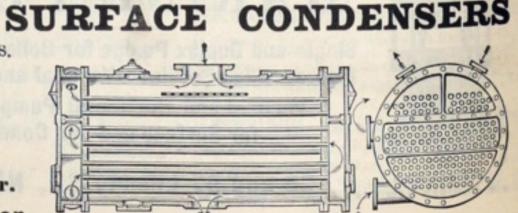
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